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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

Inventor(s):

**John Fredlund, et al.**

**SYSTEM AND METHOD OF  
PROCESSING A DIGITAL IMAGE  
FOR USER ASSESSMENT OF AN  
OUTPUT IMAGE PRODUCT**

Serial No.: 10/061,385

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Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**  
**AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

In response to the Office Action mailed September 21, 2006, reconsideration in view of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-35 are pending in the application. Claims 11-31 are withdrawn from consideration pursuant to an Election of Species, but are due consideration once the current claims under consideration are allowed.

Consideration of the remarks after final is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 because the claims are not amended, and the remarks clarify issues first raised in the final rejection. Applicants submit the remarks place the application in condition for allowance. Entry and consideration of the remarks is thus respectfully solicited.

The Examiner has not yet reviewed the drawings submitted with the filing of the application. Approval of the drawings is respectfully requested.